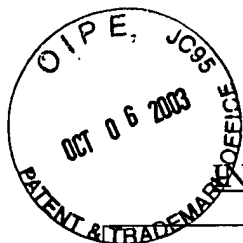


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Applicant :	Earl Ault	Docket No. :	IL-10680
Serial No. :	09/661,653	Art Unit :	2828
Filed :	09/14/2000	Examiner :	Davienne N. Monbleau
For :	HIGH POWER LASER HAVING A TRIVALENT TITANIUM LIQUID HOST		

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed August 27, 2003 finally rejecting Claims 1, 3, 4, 5, and 9. All of the other claims in the application are cancelled.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of

- ☐ other than a small entity.
☒ a small entity.

A verified statement

- ☐ is attached
☒ already filed.

2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(e) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

- ☒ small entity \$165.00
☐ other than a small entity \$330.00

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3. EXTENSION OF TIME

- ☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136

Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)):

	Total months <u>requested</u>	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>	Fee for <u>small entity</u>
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4. FEE PAYMENT

- Charge Account No. 12-0695 in the amount of \$165.00.
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